

# Worksession

Agenda Item #	5
Meeting Date	January 5, 2004
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<b>Discussion Item</b>	Presentation of final report by Safe Roadways Committee.
<b>Background</b>	<p>The Safe Roadways Committee was created by Council Resolution in November 2002 and officially began its work in early 2003. The charge to the Committee was to “identify city wide traffic safety issues and possible approaches to solving those problems, undertake data collection and research, and prepare a report recommending the legislative or policy steps the City Council could pursue and the actions City staff could take to address the traffic safety issues in Takoma Park.”</p> <p>The Safe Roadways Committee consists of the following members: Marilyn Abbott, Ray Boedecker, Walter Hill, Andy Kelemen, Tim Male, and Mark Rockman. The Committee has worked with City staff and planning intern Mike Goodno over the past year to develop a comprehensive report that addresses vehicular traffic issues in Takoma Park.</p> <p>Committee Chair Andy Kelemen will be making a PowerPoint presentation summarizing the Committee’s recommendations. Staff will present recommendations for prioritization and implementation of the Safe Roadways Committee Report at the Council's Worksession on January 20th.</p>
<b>Policy</b>	“The City of Takoma Park wishes to establish a citizens committee to study traffic issues and provide advice to the Council.” (Resolution No 2002-91 establishing the Takoma Park Safe Roadways Committee)
<b>Fiscal Impact</b>	N/A
<b>Attachments</b>	1. Council Resolution establishing the Safe Roadways Committee 2. PowerPoint presentation summarizing the Committee’s Report 3. Safe Roadways Committee Final Draft Report
<b>Recommendation</b>	Listen to presentation and discuss the Committee’s recommendations. There is time reserved to further discuss the recommendations at the January 20 Council Meeting.
<b>Special Consideration</b>	N/A